

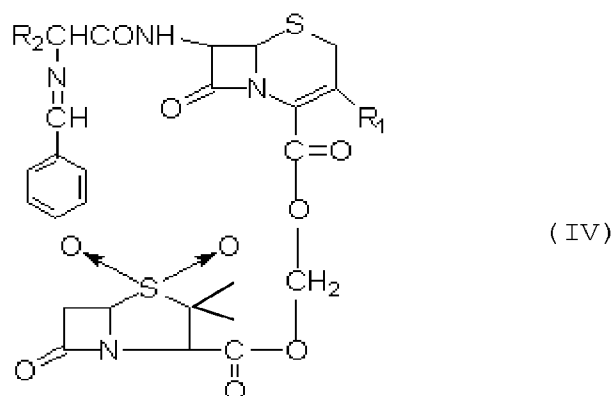
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

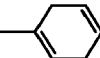


Claim 24 has been amended and claims 16-23 and 25-27 have been cancelled. A listing of the claims follows and replaces all prior listing of the claims.

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-23 (Cancelled).

Claim 24 (Allowed): [[A]] An intermediate compound represented by formula (IV) as follows:



wherein, $R_1 = \text{CH}_3$ or Cl ; $R_2 =$ ,  or .

Claims 25-27 Cancelled).